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Z O 231945Z AUG 74 ZFF-4 FM AMEMBASSY NICOSIA TO SECSTATE WASHDC FLASH 9642 INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA IMMEDIATE AMEMBASSY ATHENS IMMEDIATE AMEMBASSY LONDON IMMEDIATE USCINCEUR

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E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PINT, CY

SUBJ: POSSIBLE DEMONSTRATIONS

- 1. WE ARE GETTING REPORTS THIS EVENING THAT ANOTHER DEMONSTRATION MAY BE HEADING OUR WAY TOMORROW. I HAVE TALKED TO ACTING PRESIDENT XANTHOS CLERIDES (BROTHER OF GLAFCOS, WHO IS IN ATHENS). I TOLD HIM THAT I EXPECT PROTECTION. HE SAID HE HAS HEARD SIMILAR STORIES AND THAT HE WILL TAKE STEPS.
- 2. I HAVE INSTRUCTED DATT TO GET DIRECTLY IN TOUCH WITH NATIONAL GUARD TO SAY I HAVE TALKED TO ACTING PRESIDENT AND THAT WE EXPECT PROTECTION. WE HAVE ALSO CONTACTED UNFICYP WHICH HAS TWO APCS PARKED NEARBY.
- 3. AS WE GET IT THIS TO BE LYSSARIDES-SPONSORED DEMONSTRATION IN CONNECTION WITH REFUGEES. HE HAS CONFIDENTIAL

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LITTLE ABILITY ON HIS OWN TO GET UP MUCH OF A

CROWD BUT REINFORCEMENTS COULD COME FROM ANY QUARTER AND THE REAL THUGS COULD JOIN WITH WEAPONS.

- 4. WE HAVE NO TEAR GAS LEFT TO USE AGAINST OUTSIDE DEMONSTRATORS. THE FEW CANISTERS WE HAVE LEFT HAVE TO BE USED FOR INTERNAL DEFENSE.
- 5. THIS MAY WELL BE TEMPEST IN TEAPOT BUT FRUSTRATIONS CONTINUE TO BUILD AND WE COULD HAVE ANOTHER FLASH POINT. IN ANY CASE, WE WILL DISPENSE WITH ALL LOCALS FOR THE WEEK END, POSTPONE THE RESTORATION WE ARE DOING ON THE BUILDING WITH CONTRACT PERSONNEL, AND REDUCE THE AMERICAN STAFF ON THE PREMISES TO THE MINIMUM. BROWN

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